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This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (Original): A method of determining style characteristics from scanned data, the method comprising:
identifying characters within the scanned data;
comparing the characters to a style library containing templates of each style characteristic to determine the style characteristics for each character; and
saving the scanned data as processed data containing style characteristics of the scanned data.
2. (Original): The method of Claim 1, further comprising preparing an information sheet containing the style characteristics of the scanned data and printing the information sheet.
3. (Original): The method of Claim 1, further comprising setting the style characteristics in a format such that the processed data containing the style characteristics is readable by a word processing program.
4. (Original): The method of Claim 1, wherein the comparison of the characters to a style library includes templates for font size, font, font style, effects, or paragraph structure.
5. (Original): The method of Claim 1, wherein the comparison of the characters to a style library containing templates is performed in the style characteristic order of font size, font, and font style.

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6. (Original): A computer system for processing scanned data, the computer system comprising:
 - a processor;
 - a memory, coupled to the processor, storing instructions that are executed by the processor to perform a method of processing the scanned data, the method comprising:
 - identifying characters within the scanned data;
 - comparing the characters to templates of each style characteristic to determine style characteristics for each character; and
 - saving in the memory the scanned data as processed data containing the style characteristics of the scanned data.
7. (Original): The computer system of Claim 6, further comprising a scanner coupled to the processor and adapted to provide the scanned data.
8. (Original): The computer system of Claim 6, further comprising a printer coupled to the processor, and wherein the method further comprises preparing an information sheet containing the style characteristics of the scanned data, which is printable by the printer.
9. (Original): The computer system of Claim 6, wherein the method further comprises setting the style characteristics in a format such that the processed data containing the style characteristics is readable by a word processing program.
10. (Original): The computer system of Claim 6, wherein the method for comparing the characters to templates of each style characteristic is performed in the style characteristic order of font size, font, and font style.

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11. (Original): A machine-readable medium for use in a computer system having a processor for processing scanned data, the medium having instructions that are executed by the processor to perform a method of processing the scanned data, the method comprising:
- identifying characters within the scanned data;
 - comparing the characters to templates of each style characteristic to determine style characteristics for each character; and
 - saving the scanned data as processed data containing the style characteristics of the scanned data.
12. (Original): The machine-readable medium of Claim 11, wherein the method further comprises preparing an information sheet containing the style characteristics of the scanned data.
13. (Original): The machine-readable medium of Claim 11, wherein the method further comprises setting the style characteristics in a format such that the processed data containing the style characteristics is readable by a word processing program.
14. (Original): The machine-readable medium of Claim 11, wherein the method further comprises comparing the templates in the style characteristic order of font size, font, and font style.